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PARIS FOR UNESCO

E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: PERM REP STATUS FOR PLO AT UNESCO

REF: (A) BONN 5905; (B) TUNIS 2259; (C) BONN A-4 (NOTAL)

1. ON APRIL 18 EMBOFF VISITED FRG FONOFF CONTACT RE
PERM REP STATUS FOR PLO IN UNESCO. OUR SOURCE MAINTAINED
THAT FRG FONOFF HAD MADE LITTLE PROGRESS BEYOND POSITION
REPORTED REFTEL (A) FOR TWO REASONS. FIRST, EC-9 UNESCO
PERM REP MEETING SCHEDULED FOR APRIL 14 WAS POSTPONED
BECAUSE OF ILLNESS OF THE BRITISH PERM REP (THIS MEETING
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WAS RESCHEDULED FOR APRIL 24). AND SECOND, THE FRG

MISSION AT THE UN HAS REPORTED THAT UN SEC GEN WALDHEIM HAS UNILATERALLY DECLARED THE PLO TO HAVE PERM REP ("STAENDIGE VERTRETUNG") STATUS AT THE UN. OUR CONTACT STATED THAT THIS WAS A VERY DISTURBING DEVELOPMENT AND, OF COURSE, EFFECTIVELY TORPEDOED THE STRATEGY THE FRG CONSIDERED FLOATING IN PARA TWO, REFTEL (A). OUR SOURCE ALSO REQUESTED ANY INFORMATION WE MIGHT BE ABLE TO SUPPLY RE WALDHEIM'S MOVE. ADVISE.

2. RE PARA 3 REFTEL (B), OUR CONTACT STATED THE TUNISIANS WERE IN PROCESS OF COLLECTING SIGNATURES OF CO-SPONSORS AT UNESCO PARIS.

3. PROPOSAL OF CDU BUNDESTAG DEPUTY REPORTED REPAIR (C) TO REDUCE FRG UNESCO CONTRIBUTIONS BY 10 PERCENT HAS BEEN DEFEATED. FRG CONTRIBUTION TO UNESCO IN 1975 IS UNDIMINISHED.
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